

In response to the "Notice to Comply" of September 28, 2001, copy enclosed, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph bridging pages 9 and 10, as follows:

Characterization through RAPD markers

Using 13 random primers (MAP 01 to MAP 16) with following sequence description a comparison was made for somaclone "Parimal" and its wild type parent to establish the relatedness between them.

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Primer	Base Sequence
MAP01	GTGCAATCAG SEQ. ID NO: 1
MAP02	AGGATACGTG SEQ. ID NO: 2
MAP04	AAGATAGCGG SEQ. ID NO: 3
MAP05	GGATCTGAAC SEQ. ID NO: 4
MAP06	TTGTCTCAGG SEQ. ID NO: 5
MAP07	GTCCTACTCG SEQ. ID NO: 6
MAP09	TGCGCGATCG SEQ. ID NO: 7
MAP10	AACGTACGCG SEQ. ID NO: 8
MAP11	GCACGCCGGA SEQ. ID NO: 9
MAP12	CACCCTGCGC SEQ. ID NO: 10
MAP14	GGACTCCACG SEQ. ID NO: 11
MAP15	AAGATAGCGG SEQ. ID NO: 12
MAP16	CTATCGCCGC SEQ. ID NO: 13